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ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONAL MATTERS

Organization of the work of the session

Note by the Secretariat

1. The draft organization of work for the Commission on Science and Technology for Development at its first session (see annex) has been prepared pursuant to relevant decisions of the General Assembly and the Economic and Social Council in order to facilitate the consideration of the agenda items within the time and services allocated to the Commission.

2. The first meeting of the Commission will be convened on Monday, 12 April 1993, at 10 a.m. Facilities will be available for two formal meetings each day. The meeting hours (Monday to Friday, inclusive) will normally be from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m.

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Annex

DRAFT ORGANIZATION OF WORK

Monday, 12 April

Morning		Opening of the session.
	Item 1.	Election of officers.
	Item 2.	Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters (E/CN.16/1993/1 and E/CN.16/1993/L.1 and L.2).
	Item 3.	Substantive theme: the contribution of technologies, including new and emerging ones, for the industrialization of developing countries and for the strengthening of regional and global integration processes, including proposals on ways and means of transferring such technologies and for their incorporation in the production sector of those countries (E/CN.16/1993/2).
		Introduction and general discussion.
Afternoon	Item 3.	Continuation of general discussion.

Tuesday, 13 April

Morning and afternoon	Item 3.	Substantive theme: the contribution of technologies, including new and emerging ones, for the industrialization of developing countries and for the strengthening of regional and global integration processes, including proposals on ways and means of transferring such technologies and for their incorporation in the production sector of those countries (E/CN.16/1993/2).
		Continuation of general discussion.

Wednesday, 14 April

Morning	Item 3.	Substantive theme: the contribution of technologies, including new and emerging ones, for the industrialization of developing countries and for the strengthening of regional and global integration processes, including proposals on ways and means of transferring such technologies and for their incorporation in the production sector of those countries (E/CN.16/1993/2).
		Conclusion of general discussion.

Afternoon	Item 6.	Science and technology for sustainable development: Scientific and technological implications of sustainable development (E/CN.16/1993/8). Science and technology for sustainable development: Transfer and application of environmentally sound energy technologies (E/CN.16/1993/9). Introduction and general discussion.
Thursday, 15 April		
Morning and afternoon	Item 4.	Activities of the United Nations system: Coordination and cooperation in science and technology within the United Nations system (E/CN.16/1993/3). Activities of the United Nations system: Assessment of the effect of activities of the United Nations system related to the process of creating and strengthening endogenous capacity-building in science and technology in developing countries (E/CN.16/1993/4). Activities of the United Nations system: Activities of the Department of Economic and Social Development in science and technology for development (E/CN.16/1993/5 and 6 and E/CN.16/1993/CRP.1). Introduction and general discussion.
6 p.m.		Deadline for submission of draft proposals under item 3
Friday, 16 April		
Morning and afternoon	Item 4.	Activities of the United Nations system: Coordination and cooperation in science and technology within the United Nations system (E/CN.16/1993/3). Activities of the United Nations system: Assessment of the effect of activities of the United Nations system related to the process of creating and strengthening endogenous capacity-building in science and technology in developing countries (E/CN.16/1993/4).

		Activities of the United Nations system: Activities of the Department of Economic and Social Development in science and technology for development (E/CN.16/1993/5 and 6).
		Continuation and conclusion of general discussion.
Monday, 19 April		
Morning and afternoon	Item 7.	Financing science and technology for development, including activities of the United Nations Fund for Science and Technology for Development (E/CN.16/1993/10).
		Introduction and general discussion and conclusion of item 7.
6 p.m.		Deadline for submission of draft proposals under item 4
Tuesday, 20 April		
Morning	Item 5.	Ad hoc panels/workshops to examine specific issues of science and technology for development (E/CN.16/1993/7).
Afternoon	Item 8.	Programme questions (E/CN.16/1993/CRP.2)
		Introduction and general discussion.
6 p.m.		Deadline for submission of draft proposals under item 7.
Wednesday, 21 April		
Morning and afternoon	Items 3, 4, 6, & 7.	Informal consultations on draft proposals.
Thursday, 22 April		
Morning and afternoon	Items 3, 4, 6, & 7.	Informal consultations on draft proposals.
Friday, 23 April		
Morning	Items 3, 4, 6, & 7.	Informal consultations on draft proposals.
		Consideration of and action on all outstanding draft proposals.

Afternoon	Item 9.	Election of the Chairperson and nomination of other officers for the second session of the Commission.
	Item 10.	Provisional agenda and organization of work for the second session of the Commission.
	Item 11.	Adoption of the report of the Commission on its first session.